Title 5. Fish and Game.

Chapter 93. Department Programs.

Article 1. Miscellaneous Department Programs.

5 AAC 93.010 is repealed and readopted to read:

5 AAC 93.010. Shooting range fees. (a) The department will charge a fee for the use of a state-owned shooting facility based on department costs in operating the facility, including staffing costs and the level of public use of the facility. The department will not charge a fee that exceeds a fee set out in this section. The department may review the fee schedule at each state-owned facility semi-annually and based on the criteria in this subsection may change the fee amounts. The fees and the effective dates will be posted in each shooting facility and on the department's website.

- (b) **Rabbit Creek Shooting Park:** the fees for use of the shooting facility will be calculated and posted as described in (a) of this section, but will not exceed
- (1) for the general public and an organized group, except those specified in (2) of this subsection, for the use of the live-fire range, including rifle, pistol, and archery,
 - (A) \$18 per day per person;
 - (B) \$150 per person for a non-transferable annual pass;
- (2) for a person under 16 years of age, a person 60 years of age or older, or a person on active duty in the military, for use of the live-fire range, including rifle, pistol and archery,
 - (A) \$15 per day per person;
 - (B) \$127 per person for a nontransferable annual pass;

- (3) for the general public, for the use of the five-stand shotgun range,
 - (A) \$28 per round, including targets and ammunition;
- (B) \$26 per round, including targets and ammunition for an annual pass holder, or for a person under 16 years of age, or for a person 60 years of age or older;
 - (C) \$14 per round includes targets only.
- (c) Fairbanks Hunter Education Indoor Shooting Range: the fees for use of the shooting facility will be calculated and posted as described in (a) of this section, but will not exceed
- (1) for the general public, except those specified in (2) (4) of this subsection, for use of the
 - (A) live-fire range,
 - (i) \$24 per shooting lane per hour;
 - (ii) \$144 for a seven-hour punch-card pass;
 - (B) electronic range, \$24 per hour;
- (2) for a person under 16 years of age, for a person 60 years of age or older, or for a person on active duty in the military, for the use of the
 - (A) live-fire range,
 - (i) \$20 per shooting lane per hour;
 - (ii) \$120 for a seven-hour punch-card pass;
 - (B) electronic range, \$20 per hour;
- (3) for a hunter education partner that is not a youth shooting organization, during scheduled organized activities for use of
 - (A) the live-fire range, \$12 per shooting lane per hour;

(A) \$20 per shooting lane per hour;

(B) \$120 for a seven-hour punch-card pass;

(C) \$330 for a semi-annual (18 week) pass;

- (D) \$580 for an annual (36 week) pass;
- (3) for a hunter education partner that is not a youth shooting organization, during scheduled organized activities use of the live-fire range \$12 per shooting lane per hour;
- (4) for a hunter education partner that is a youth shooting organization, during scheduled organized activities use of the live-fire range \$10 per shooting lane per hour.
- (e) The department may rent the classrooms, the live-fire ranges as a whole, or each facility as a whole, based on demand, cost, and staffing needs not to exceed \$450 per day.
- (f) The department may sell or rent shooting accessories, including targets, ear and eye protection, and ammunition at state-owned shooting facilities. The department may, provide for a fee, to other governmental agency's secure storage space for that governmental agency's shooting accessories and equipment.
- (g) The department may conduct events, including classes, clinics, workshops, seminars, and special shoots, at state-owned shooting ranges. When the department conducts an event, the fee will be calculated as described in (a) of this section.
 - (h) The department may waive or adjust the fees established in sections (b) (e) for an
 - (1) individual participating in a department administered hunter education class;
- (2) employee of the Department of Fish and Game while on duty for a state authorized activity;
- (3) employee of P Department of Public Safety while on duty for a state authorized activity;
- (4) individual participating in a department sponsored special event conducted at state-owned shooting ranges.

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- (j) The department may charge an additional fee to an individual or organization for an organized event conducted at a state-owned shooting range to cover the actual administrative costs of the event.
 - (k) For the purpose of this section,
- (1) "active duty military" means an individual with a current enlistment or extension of enlistment and identification card for a branch of the military, active, guard or reserve component;
- (2) "hunter education partner" means an organization or instructor who has entered into an agreement with the Department of Fish and Game to incorporate components of the department's hunter education curriculum into the instructor's or organization's program.

 (Eff. 1/19/86, Register 97; am 10/14/87, Register 104; am 8/24/91, Register 119; am 4/1/93, Register 125; am 1/15/2000, Register 153; am 1/9/2002, Register 161; am 3/13/2004, Register 169; am 4/28/2005, Register 174; am ______/___/2006, Register _____)

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Editor's note: The following web site address can be used to locate the shooting range fees. http://www.wildlife.alaska.gov or http://www.huntereducation.alaska.gov.